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<u>DISPOSITION OF JUDGE G. THOMAS PORTEOUS, JR.'S</u> MOTION REQUESTING FUNDING FOR HIS DEFENSE

On June 29, 2010, Judge G. Thomas Porteous, Jr., filed a Motion Requesting Funding for His Defense. This Motion included requests for reimbursement of travel expenses incurred by witnesses and Judge Porteous as well as various legal and counsel costs. The House of Representatives has not filed any response to this Motion.

Consistent with past Committee practice, the Committee denies Judge Porteous's request for reimbursement of his travel expenses as well as for funds to cover legal and counsel costs.

The Committee grants the Motion with respect to the travel expenses of subpoenaed witnesses. Travel arrangements are to be made through the Chief Clerk of the Impeachment Trial Committee at government rates consistent with Senate travel regulations.

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Dated: July 26, 2010

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